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### THE MARTYR DUDLEY—HIN SAC-RIFICES AND SUFFERINGS: \_COOLNESS OF A BADICAL CLERK.

Those who took the trouble to read, yesterday, the telegraphic report of the opening proceedings of the Pittaburg "S, and S." Con-vention will recollect that a "Mr. Dupler" obtained the election of "temporary chair-man" of that body, and that the Convention was startled by the announcement that the aforesaid "Mr. Dupner" had actually resigned his place as a clerk in the Internal Revenne Bureau because, as the report says, a "two days" leave of absence to attend the Pittaburg Convention was not granted him! Startled by this piece of political informa-tion which was telegraphed to the entire press of the country, we proceeded early yesterday to ascertain whether, in consequence of the terrible calamity occasioned by the resignation of "Mr. Dudler," the entire business of the bureau was not stopped, or whether it would not involve the resignation of Secretary McCuttocu, and a suspension, for a time, of the entire business of the Treasury Department.

To our happy surprise Mr. McCultocu was as unruffled as a calm lake in June. The several bureaus of the Department were working like an "8779" Jurgensen watch. The Internal Revenue Bureau was without a vacancy. "Mr. Dudi.sv's" place had netually been filled by the appointment of a gallant soldier who was crippled in the mili-tary service of his country. Mr. Commissioner Rolliss, instead of being "drowned in tears" was "wreathed in smiles," not at what he had lost in "Mr. Dudley," personally. or gained by the acquisition of a gallant soldier "to his force." but because "Mr. Dup-LEY's" resignation and the assembling of the Pittsburg Convention had not stopped the wheels of Government. ROLLINS was cvidently happy.

Upon inquiry we learned, to our amaze-ment, that "Mr. Dudley" had never asked for "a leave of absence of two days to attend the Pittsburg Convention!" He did ask for a leave of absence of five days, without givfact that he was granted a leave of ten days from September 20, 1865, another leave of twenty days from April 2, 1866, and another leave of ten days from April 22, 1866, making forty days within one year, the Secretary of the Treasury, in the absence of the recommendation of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, could not consistently grant five days more unless there was some special reason for it.

The following is a copy of "Mr. Dublin's" application:

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Orrice or Intransal, Revisor,
Washington, Sept 22, 1866

Hon, Hugh McCuttleeh, Secretary of the Transary:
Size: I have the honor to apply for a leave of absence for five days, from Monday next, the 24th instant.

In the month of April last I was granted a leave for twenty days, which was extended

a leave for twenty days, which was extended ten days. From this leave I returned and resumed my daties three days before its ex-piration, and have not since been absent. Hoping that you will comply with my re-quest, I am, very respectfully, your obedient servant.

(Signed) e above letter was sent by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to the Secretary of the Treasury, endorsed as follows:

"Respectfully referred to the Secretary of E. A. Roulins, "Commissioner." the Treasury.

It will be observed that the Commissione did not recommend the granting of the leave, which he would have done if it had been proper. Consequently, the reply usual in such cases was returned by the Secretary

of the Treasury, as follows:
TERASURY DEPARTMENT, Sopt. 24, 1866.
E. A. Rollins, Commissions of Juneary, D. E. A. Rollins, Commissions of Internal Reconner.
Size: The application of Mr. L. Edwin
Dudley, a clerk in your office, for a leave of
absence for five days, is received, and hereby
disapproved, as under the existing regulations of the Department he is not entitled to
it, and his services are needed in the Depart-

I am, very respectfully.
(Signed) H. McCulloch. Secretary of the Treasury.

On the day of the date of the above letter Mr. Dudlay" sent in his resignation, which ented as follows:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Sept. 26, 1866.

L. Edwin Dudley:
Siz: Your letter of the 24th instant, tendering your resignation as a clerk in the Office of the Commissioner of Internal Rev-enue, is received, and the same is accepted.

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Secretary of the Treasury.

At this point "Mr. Dudley" precipitated himself upon the Pittsburg Convention, and commenced his career as a martyr. We exest to bear from him next on the trail of MAYNARD, BRANSCOMS, and the other Massachusetts-born "Southern loyalists!"

The next sensation in order will be a demonstration from one "WILL A. SHORT," s clerk in the Third Auditor's Office of the A Candid Confession from a Radi-Treasury Department, who asked for a five ave of absence to go to Pittsburg, and without obtaining permission took
"French leave," went against orders, leaving and without obtaining permission took "French leave," went against orders, leaving the Bureau one short—a vacancy for a most worthy man. Mr. H. J. Chanes, Assistant Surgeon of the United States army, and an accomplished scholar, who suffered four worths he states are sufficient to be nown to such sectional divisions as North and South, East and West, to indicate differences of institutions or of inter-

speak in Indiana.—Boston Commonwealth. We presume the above refers to one of the evil passions which it excited.

INNEX WILSON," so called, who rejoices in the name of "General," who never saw a battle, but was awfully frightened at "sight" of the Quaker guns of Manassas.

### TIME, OR THE CABLE AND THE CLOCK.

The inauguration of submarine telegraphic communication by means of the Atlantic cable, makes it interesting to inquire into the difference of time in various cities of the old and new worlds. A scientific writer old and new worlds. A scientific writer says: When it is twelve o'clock high noon at New York, it is fifty-five minutes and fortytwo seconds after 4 p. m. at London; fifty-seven minutes and twenty seconds after 6 p. m. at St. Petersburg; seventeen minutes and twenty-four seconds after 7 p. m. at Jerusa-lem; fifty-one minutes and forty-four seconds after 6 p. m. at Constantinople; forty minthirty-two seconds after 4 p. m. at Madrid: thirty-one minutes and twenty seconds after 5 p. m. at Bremen; forty minutes and thirty-two seconds after 4 p. m. at Dublin; and forty-one minutes and twentyfour seconds after 6 p. m. at Florence. The difference of time between the extreme east and west points of the United States is three hours and fifty minutes. In the China sea, between Singapore and China, it is midnight when it is noon at New York.

### APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESI-

DENT.
BENJANIN MONTGOMENY, Receiver of Fublic Moneys for the district of lands subject to sale at La Crosse; M. W. QUACKENBUSH. Receiver of Public Moneys for the district of lands subject to sale at East Saginaw, Mich.; ISAAC G. WALTON, Register of Land Office, East Saginaw, Mich.; ALBERT TUXBURY, Receiver of Public Moneys at Nebraska City; EDWARD S. REED, Register of Land Office at Nebraska City.

GEN. DIX'S APPOINTMENTS. Gen. Dix's appearance before United States District Attorney Countries, alluded to in a telegram, to give bonds and qualify for Naval Officer of New York, by no means precludes the possibility of his accepting the mission to France, the news of which appointment could not have reached him until after he had effected the preliminary arrangements for entering upon the duties of

### RECALL OF MR. BIGELOW.

Naval Officer alluded to.

In announcing yesterday the appointmen of Gen. Dix as Minister to France we die not intend to give the impression that Mr. Bronnew, our present able Minister to the Imperial Court, was removed. On the con-trary, he is recalled at his own request.

BEECHER TO GREELEY. We call the attention of our readers to

short letter from HENRY WARD BERCHER to Honace Greeney upon our outside. It is terrible on Honack.

THE OBJECT OF THE WAR AGAINST
PARAGUAY.
Through the accretions of the English Minister at
Buonce Ayres, the text of the secret treaty of May
1st, 1866, by which the allied Powers agreed to wage war against Paraguay, has been discovered and made public. This treaty was made by Brazil, situated on the north and east of Paraguay. Uruguay on the south, and the Argentine Confedera-tion on the south and west, so that Paraguay is entirely surrounded and hemmed in by snemies. The object of the allied Powers is to "overthrow the present Government of Paraguay," and they declars that the war shall not stop until that end is accomplished; and even go so far as to set forth what shall be done when the Paraguayan Govern-

penses of the war, give the allies the right of free navigation of the Parana and Paraguay rivers, are to set up a republican form of government, under the protection of the allies, are to submit to new houndary lines, by which about one-fifth of their present small territory is to be taken away from them, and are to give the allies the right to dis-tate "the most suitable measures to guarantee peace." In order to secure these hard conditions, the fortifications at Humaita are to be destroyed the fortifications at Humaita are to be destroyed, and the Paraguayans denied the right to erect fortifications at any point on their boundaries; all arms and munitions of war are to be seised; and the Paraguayans are to be prohibited from maintaining an army. With such objects as these, Brazil, Buenos Ayres, and Uraguay, with a joint population of 10,412,765 people, are waging a war against Paraguay, which contains but 1,337,431—but which has thus far been able to keep at bay all of its enemies

the annexation of Paraguay by Brazil, in a manner similar to the annexation of Hanover by Prussia; and Brazil also looks upon both Uruguay and the Argentine Confederation with longing ages, and contemplates the ultimate annexation of all the Argentine Confederation with longing see, and contemplates the ultimate annexation of all the territory of both these countries bordering upon and controlling the Plata river. Exhausted by the war against Paraguay, they would prove an eary prey, and, so far as Uruguay annexation of all the Brazilian Cabinet to accomplish it has already been given. This scheme of Brazilian aggrandisement has, however, already slarmed the other South American republies, and Bolivia and Peru have formally protested against the longer continuation.

Florida Cotton.

The Commissioner of the General Land Office at Tellahusse, Florida, in regard to the record of the State, from which the follows it is about 100 feet long, and it looks like a great whale with a cannon on its back.

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# PERSONAL JUDGE McKINSTRY, of Mobile, is in town.

HON. LEONARD SWETT, of Illinois, is in own, at Willards' MR. ENOS B. REED, the editor of the Cin-

cinnati Darly Union, is now in this city, stopping at the Washington House. Mr. Reed bring good report from Ohio.

# cal Paper. The Baltimore American of Wednesday,

26th, says ingenuously :

and an accomplished scholar, who suffered four months in Southern prisons, was appointed to fill the vacancy occasioned by Shoar's "absenting" himself "without leave."

The TRILEGRAPH CHAMPIONSHIP.—The return match at writing in the Morse telegraph alphabet, for the championship of New York and New England, and the possession of the gold key, between Mesers. Bunss, of Worcester, the present champion, and Kettless of Fall Biyer, is appointed for Thirsday, 4th proximo, at 4 p.m.

General. Wilson left on Wednesday to speak in Indiana.—Boston Commonweealth. moved, and we ought not to hear any longer

> A sanical clergyman in Utica speaks atrongly against "the awful practice of base-ball playing." He could "see nothing but ruin to young men who engage in it."

### THE DEPARTMENTS.

The Pay of Extra Duty Men in the Regular Army.

The following order relative to the additional compensation of extra duty men in the army was promulgated yesterday:

WAR DEFARTMENT GREEN ALL OFFICE,

WARRINGTON, Sept. 22, 1808.

Anymary Gravant (Sept. 22, 1806.

General Orders, N. 789

In accordance with section 7, set approved July 13, 1886, the following are substituted for paragraphs 902 and 903, article 39, of revised regulations of 1853:

10 02. When it is necessary to employ soldiers as a striffeers or laborers in the construction of permanent military works, public reads, or other constant labor of not less than ten days' duration in any case, they shall receive, in addition to their regular pay, the following additional compensation therefor. Solisted man working as artifeers, and non-commissioned officers supployed as overseer for every twenty men, thirty-five cents per day, and snlisted man employed as laborers twenty cents per day. The non-commissioned efficers and soldiers so employed as mechanics, overseer, and clerks in the Bursaus of the War Department, at the Hendquarters of the Army, and at Military Division or Department Headquarters. But no man shall he rated and paid as a clerk, overseer, or mechanic, who is the standard and paid as a clerk, overseer, or mechanic, who is the shall any soldier be rated at higher pay than any cents per day, except by their order.

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### Assistant Adjutant General Assistant Adjutant General Precautions Against Frauds on the Government. The following General Order was published

yesterday by the War Department:

Washington, September 21, 1905.

J. All officers of the army whose duty it may be to prepare papers, or pay accounts presented by persons representing themselves to be officers of soldiers discharged from the service, are cautioned to be carefully on their guard against the name one papers bearing forged alguatures of officers of the army, which there is reason to believe will be accounted by imposters.

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II. In all cases where it is possible to detect such imposters, they will be immediately handed over to the civil authorities for prosecution, together with the evidence against them; and every such case, with the attending circumstances, will be promptly reported to the Adjutant General.

III. Requisitions will hereafter be made direct to the Adjutant General by company, regimental, and other commanders, to whom blanks are furnished by the Adjutant General, and the required receipts will be signed and resurred as soon as the idanks come to hand. Monthly returns of all such blanks, like other public property, will be made to the Adjutant General, in which the number received, on hand and expended, will be strictly accounted for, and also the manner in which they are expended.

expended.

IV. Official blanks are sometimes surreptitiously filled. IV. Official blanks are sometimes surreptitiously procured, which are falsely and fraudulently fitted up, and the signatures of officers forged. Officers to whom blanks are furnished from the Adjutant General's office will therefore be required to keep them under their own personal care, to guard against their boing stelen or misapplied.

By order of the Scorestary of War:

E. D. Townsexb,

Assistant Adjutant General.

### Important to Foreign Claimants for

Hon. Joseph A. Barrett, Commissioner of

Hon. Joseph A. Barrett, Commissioner of the Pension Bureau, has just issued the following regulations affecting foreign claimants for United States pensions:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INVENIOR, PRINGED OF THE INVENIOR, PRINGED OF THE INVENIOR, PRINGED OF THE INVENIOR, PRINGED OF THE UNITED STATES OF THE INVENIOR OF THE UNITED STATES OF THE UNITED STA sworn to before a consul or other officer rep-resenting this Government. If this in any case is found impracticable, the official char-acter and officer before whom such testimony is taken should be duly authenticated by a United States consul or other officer.

Presidential Appointments. Presidential Appointments have been made by the President: Hugh Ewing, Esq., of Kansas, to be minister resident at the Hague; William J. Valentine, of Massachusetts, to be commissioner to the Paris Expasition for 1867; Charles A. Ruffle, agent for the Chippewas of the Mississippi, Pilliger, and Lake Winnebago bands, and the Indians of Red Lake and Pembina; Thomas J. McKenney, of Iowa, superintendent of Indian affairs for the Territory of Washington; Abelard Guthrie, of Kansas, agent for the Indians of the Shawnee agency in Kansas; Stephen J. Dallas, of Illinois, principal clerk of surveys in the General Land Office. overnen J. Dallas, of Illinois, principal clerk of surveys in the General Land Office.

### Florida Cotton.

### New National Banks.

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The following two new National Banks were established by the Comptroller of the Currency yesterday: The Ridgely National Bank of Springfield, Illinois, capital \$100,000, N. A. Ridgely, president, Wm. Ridgely, cashier; and the Pennsylvania National Bank of Potteville, capital \$100,000, president Jacob Huntzinger, cashier, C. H. Dennsylvania National Bank of Potteville, capital \$100,000, president Jacob Huntzinger, cashier, C. H. Dennsylvania dent, Jacob Huntzinger, cashier, C. H. Deng-ler, The first named bank has been designated a demonstrate nated a depository of public moneys by the United States Treasurer.

### Navy Bulletin.

Appointment Revoked, Sept. 19 .- Mate Appendment Revoked, Sept. 19.—Mate A. J. Kenny.
Ordered, Sept. 19.—Acting Third Assistant Engineers Leopold Cattaway and A. D. Renshaw, to the Ressau, First Assistant Engineer Sidney Albest, to experimental duty at the Novelty Iron Werks, New York, Lt. Commander A. R. McNair, to the Naval Academy.

Academy. Officers Dismissed the Service.

Pirst Lieutenant Henry R. Gardner and econd Lieutenants Wm. D. McGuire and Wm. D. Reddy, recently tried in the Depart-ment of the Gulf for conduct unbecoming officers and gentlemen, have been dismiss the military service of the United States. The Condition of Affairs in Florida.

# Gen. Foster, Assistant Commissioner of the Freedmen's Bureau for Florida, in a re-cent report to Gen. Howard, represents the condition of the freedmen as being much im-proved, states that the crops, particularly cotton and corn, are unusually excellent.

### Mustered Out.

Assistant Quartermasters Colonels M. D. Wickersham and Rocliff Brinkerhoff and Capt. J. F. Skelton, C. S., have, by a recent order from the War Department, been mustered out of service

## Pension Bureau.

Drs. Ernst Kramer, of Milwaukie, Wis., consin, and Dr. Wm. Lewett, of Ann Arbor, Mich, have been appointed examining sur-geons of the Pension Bureau by the Com-missioner.

### Pen, Pencil and Scissors.

Tux Western papers call Jack Hamilton's raveling troups the "Nigger-rome."

JOHN R. THOMPSON Wrote only ten chapers of Heros Von Borcke's advantures in the con-

Tue great tunnel at Chicago is to be com nisted next month, and dedicated with appropriate

## GEN. KIRRY SWITH Is in Washington,-New Killy, not "Kirby"-another man entirely. GEN. PITZ HENRY WARREN has sued the Howe Bye, published at Burlington, Idwa, for libel, contained in a communication purporting to give the facts in the case of Lynch va. Warren.

DR. OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES Wrote some verses for Fox to present to the Emperor of Russia, and they are published in the St. Petersburg Vesto-mosts, duly credited to "Oliver Vendel Golms."

The language of the rose in June is, "Well, I'm blowed;" of the asparagus in July, "Cut and come again;" of pens in August, "Shell out;" of the apple tree in September, "Go it, my pippins." JOHN B. GOUGH has taken the lecture plat-

Don't let him "take" soything stronger, but tand erect on the platform.

To RENOVATE AN OLD HAT—Take it to an ovening party and leave early—Miles O' Reilly.

We lost a more hat at an "evening party" where Miles was one night, and observed lots of old hate

Tire following figures show the progress of the work on the lake tunnel at Chicago, which is expected to be flighted about the lat of Rovember. Distance sexurated from the shore end, 7,817 feet; from the crib. 2,025 feet; total, 9,642 feet; to be excurated, 918 feet; total length when finished,

inst. \$1,500,000 in gold dust left that city for Ben-ton. This vast sum was in the hands of a few mes, mostly miners, and was under an armed es-ort of men employed to protect it. Half the amounts was the product of a mining claim on Con-federate Guich belonging to two individuals who are now on board the Luella

Twenve numbers new freight cars and fifty new locomotives are being added to the rolling stock of the Chicago and Northwestern railway. This road, on its different branches, will soon re 130 passenger and baggage cars, 4,500 freight cars, and 210 locometives. It now has 1,020 miles of main track open, and within a year it will be con plated to the Missouri river, and connect with the

Pacific railroad.

THE Planters' Banner, a paper well informed in regard to affairs in Louisians, says the negroes are returning to the old plantations all over St. Mary's parish, and that they have been flocking in for the whole of the past year. Once back in their former cabins, they acknowledge, after their weary pilgrimage among strangers and conniving friends, that there's no place like home. The kindly feelings of past years are fast return

THE St. Louis mortality list for last week shows a total of three bundred and eighty-one deaths, two hundred and two of which were from cholers. In Memphis there were one hundred and choiers. In Memphis there were one hundred and forty-three deaths, more than one half being from cholers. In Nashville the disease has broken out with fresh violence, and is not confined to any class or locality. Hundreds are leaving the city and besiness is aimost suspended. On Sunday there were sixty-three deaths from this disease.

### Monitors and Heavy Guns in Swe-

The Swedish government has lately built three iron-clad ships of the Monitor pattern, two of which (the Eriessen and the Thunder) are alloat. The third, still on the stocks at the Motala works in Norrkoping, is 250 feet long, with great breadth of beam. The turret-is of 12 thicknesses of inch-plate iron, beautifully fitted together, and inclosing two 13-inch guns. The mainwheel for the turret is of east-iron, which must be acknowledged to be a signal defect in this important feature of the plan. The Swedes disapprove the system of coil twist for guns, and declare that the iron from Danemora, of which the Armstrong guns are made, is not suitable for the more solid-made guns adopted by Sweden. Two of these are shown in the for the more solid-made guns adopted by Sweden. Two of these are shown in the exhibitions at Stockholm; one is a rifled breech-loader, the other a smooth-bore. The engines of the new Monitor are also in the exhibition, and are wonderfully compact trunk engines of 150-horse power, with the two cylinders end to end and across the keel. At Motala, also, there is a very peculiar iron-clad gunbeat, which is more like a canoe than anything else. The bow or "nose" is depressed, so that the water line when on war service will be almost at the summit of the arched deck. The single gun carried by this formidable craft is in a mailed gun house, fore and aft, in the centre of the deck, depressed, so that the water line when on war service will be almost at the summit of the arched deck. The single gun carried by this formidable craft is in a mailed gun house, fore and aft, in the centre of the deck and the gun cannot be separately trained, but the whole boat must be directed so as to point it. Thus the only aperture for hostile entry into the gunboat is that of a few inches for the shot to issue from the muzzle of the gun. This heat is about 100 feet long, and it looks like a great whale with a cannon on its back.

Fenian and Financial Troubles in Cannada.

A dispatch from Ottawa. Canada, states that most of the members of the Government are in Quebec, where Cabinet meetings are being held daily. The subjects under the meetings are being held daily. The subjects in the success of the served to have been very destructive, and there are respected for life.

Dix to-day appeared before United States District. Attorney Coortiesy and executed his official bond what he is pleased to call "President and "Principles", the Attantic Monthly, for October, upon what he is pleased to call "President and "Principles", the Attantic Monthly, for October, upon what he is pleased to call "President and "Principles", the Attantic Monthly, for October, upon what he is pleased to call "President and the properture for he delication what he is pleased to call "President and the principles", the Attantic Monthly, for October, upon what he is pleased to call "President and the properture for he he is pleased to call "President and the properture for he delication of the Committee of Fifteen, of which Mr. Boutwell is a member. He would character that Mr. Johnson was and is a Union man," and the most serious charge he brings against him is that he has no sympathy with the New England radicals. He neglects to add, however, that if Mr. Johnson had seed to the Sympathy "he would cease to be a Union man," and the most please to the suppose to he was brooked to addressed to the surperson." S. A., and must state the full sum

ment are in Quebec, where Cabinet meetings are being held daily. The subjects under consideration are the military condition of the Province, the Confederate Constitutions, and the failure of the Bank of Upper Can-ada. The notes of the defunct bank are sell-ing for fifty cents on the dollar. The Femans are said to be assembling at

The Fenians are said to be assembling at Highgate to make another raid into the Province. Highgate is east of Rouse's

The condition of the Canadian Militia is

The condition of the Canadian Militia is rapidly improving, and it is now comparatively a respectable force.

There are more or less strain on the Canadian banks, and much insecurity felt and caution exercised in commercial circles. Money still commends fifteen per cent, in Montreal.

Large quantities of military stores are continually arriving at Fort Eric from Toronto

and Montreal.

On Saturday two hundred ambulance wagons were received, and several saddles, pouches, and other military equipments requisite for a campaign are being received and distributed along the frontier.

THE PERSIDENT AND THE OFFICE SERKERS.—
It has already been announced that the President, on account of the great pressure of public business, has declined to grant interviews to delegations who merely wish. views to delegations who merely wish to press the claims of applicants for office. The rule he intends to pursue in future has been laid down in a letter recently written by his private Secretary to an office-seeking delegation. In this letter it is stated that all application. In this letter it is stated that all applications for office seeking delegations of the second of the

and now he and the \$30,000 are
His conversational powers are
partneredinary.

New York Market.
New York Sept. 26. Flour advance wheat scarce, and Jack. higher. Corn sand there, and now he and the \$30,000 are

# BYTELEGRAPH The National Republican.

## HIGHLY IMPORTANT.

### THE SEA SERPENT VERSUS THE CABLE SPECIAL DISPATCH FROM HULL.

Hota, Sept. 26, '66\_9 p. m.

The sea screent made its appearance off this port last evening. The inhabitants are very much alarmed. The fishing smacks [LATER.]

Hull, 10 p. m.—The people of the town line the skirts of the bay, watching the great ocean monster. About every half hour it

butter strong. Cheese lively. Whisky running low, etc., etc., etc.,

## THE PITTSBURG CONVENTION.

POLITICS IN MARYLAND. MONTGOMERY BLAIR FOR CONGRESS.

MORE SHOOTING BY POLLARD.

The Pittsburg Convention.

Privisions, Sept. 26.—The Soldiers' Convention
met at ten o'clock this morning. The first business was the seport of the Committee on Resolutions but the committee not being ready speeches were made by members and other distinguished gentie-

The City Councils of Pittsburg and Alleghen visited the Convention, and were received with great cheering.

stating that his name appeared on the call for the Convention at Cleveland, and pronouncing it a

was read. It congratulated the Convention on its success, and endorring it. A call from the Pitts-burg "Boys in Biue," nice feet long, was also Pirranuno, Sept. 26 ... The proceedings of the Convention to-day consisted entirely of speech

making.
John Burns, of Gettysburg, was received and presented with a gold-headed cane.

A letter was read from John C. Fremont, regret-

ting his inability to attend the Convention Pollard on a Gunning Expedition in Salti-

BALTIMORE, Sept. 26.-H. Rives Pollard, of Richmond, had a difficulty at the Fountain Hotel, in this city, to night, with a man named Frederick Hopkins, in reference to a female at the hotel, re-sulting in Pollard shooting Hopkins. The wound

is not serious. Pollard was acrosted. Montgomery Biair Nominated for Congress.
Baltimons, Sept. 26.—The conservatives of the
Fifth Congressional District have nominated Mont-

comery Blair for Congress. ects here to-morrow. Mr. Harris will probably

Gen. Dix Accepts the Naval Office. Naw Yonk, Sept. 26.—The Express says Gee. Dix to-day appeared before United States District Attorney Couriney and executed his official bond as Naval Officer of the port, Messers J. J. Cleop and

reports of a loss of life.

The mills were located in the northern part of

The mills were located in the normal particulars have been received as yet, [ascond district and the lactory district.]

Philadelphia, Sept. 26.—Laker particulars of the fire at the Globe mills say the roof was burned off, the fourth and fifth stories gutted, and the third story damaged by fire. The lower stories were flooded with water. The loss has not been ascertained.

The reports of loss of life are unfounded. One woman broke her leg in jumping from the window.

BAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 26.—The steamer Moses Caylor sailed for San Juan to-lay. The Hawaiian consulate at this port, not the unricen Consul from Hawaii, received Queen

The Hawaiian Consul from Hawaii, received American Consul from Hawaii, received Emma yesterday.

The Imperial Mexican Consul in this city has dispatches from Acapulou to the 15th instant, which say the Imperialists surprised and killed General Instant on the Consultation of the Consult with most of his dimers and a large number of the The same Consul has dates from Masatlan September 1st, and San Blas to the 3d. One batts ion of Imperial troops had arrived at the form place from Gandalarajara. Geo. Larada resums command of the Imperialists at San Blas.

tion. In this letter it is stated that all applications for office submitted in the ordinary way, or through the proper departments, will receive as prompt attention as though formally placed in the President's hands by the applicants themselves, or by delegations acting in their behalf.—Phila. Ledger.

Another "distinguished foreigner" has victimized the sharp ones of Chicago with his "well-authenticated credentials" and engaging manners to the tune of \$10,000. Beef firmer, at an advance of la2s, sloce well-authenticated credentials" and engaging manners to the tune of \$10,000. Beef firmer, at 2s. 6d. higher. Pork easier for yourned three hundred here and a thousand there, and now he and the \$30,000 are

Philadelphia Markets. PHILADRIPHIA, Sept. 26.—Petroleum teactive.

Real Estate in New York.

New York Correspondence of the Boston Post.]
A recent appraisancest, by competent judges, of the value of some of the finest buildings in New York, gives the following estimates respecting certain atmeatures which Bostonians have seen or often heard of. It is unfortunately the fact that, for taxable proposes, they have been assessed only HULL, 10 p. m.—The people of the town line the skirts of the bay, watching the great occan monster. About every half hour it wo.fifths of this valuation; but that is doctan monster. About every half hour it wo.fifths of this valuation; but that is the state of the water, and flashes of fire, like lightning, are visible.

[STILL LATER.]

HULL, 11 p. m.—Electricians in town declare that the supposed serpent is one end of the lost cable trying to speak. They are making efforts to communicate with it. Have gone to the rescue with a battery and a set of Myer's signals to enable them to communicate with the shore.

HULL, 11 1-2 p. m.—Sure enough, the supposed serpent proves to be the cable. Hattery applied. Dispatch from Field, "All going on well." Sir Morton Peto ill. A special request that the important news from Liverpool, London, Paris, Berlin, &c., &c., &c., &c., be suppressed.

P. S. Markets—Axes dull. Hemp and butter strong. Cheese lively. Whisky running low, etc., etc., etc. purposes, they have been assessed only about two-fifths of this valuation; but that i

\$450,000; Albemstie House, \$450,000; Ularendon Hotel, \$600,000; St. James Hutel, \$400,000; Astor's store, (occupied by Halstead, Haines & Co.,) \$450,000; Union Club House, \$200,000; Harper's building, \$300,000; French's Hotel, \$400,000; International, \$450,000; and any number of banks and other buildings at \$300,000. in the case of a majority of these properties it is quite probable that they did not originally cost balf of the bandsome sums above given as their present value. Mexico ... The Empress Charlotte Hints at Maximilian's Return to

Miramar.

From Galignani's Messarger, Sept. 8.1

The Empress of Mexico lately received at the Chateau of Miramar the President and Vice President of the Chamber of Commerce of Trieste, and, replying to a short address of that functionary, said that in case the Emperor Maximilian should make next year a journey to Europe he would not full. year a journey to Europe, he would not fail to visit that port.

to visit that port.

Her Majesty also expressed her regret that the commercial relations between Austria and Mexico had not assumed all the extension of which they were susceptible.

A Successful Graps Growen.—M. Cesare Possoli, a wine grower of Lecco in Lom-bardy, sends a letter to an agricultural jour-nal of Bologne, in which he states that he never has a bad wintage. The yield in orthnever has a bad vintage. The yield in order-nary years is from fifty to sixty bectolitres. (22 gallons each) per hectare, (two and a half acres,) and in good years seventy to eighty. He explains his success in this way: At the time of gathering the grapes two or more man follow the vintagers and lop off all the seperfluous branches of the vine, leaving only those which are permitted to fructify the superfluous branches of the vine, leaving only those which are permitted to fructify the following years, taking great care not to remove or injure the leaves on the branches which are left. From this operation it follows that during the month of October the sap of the plant goes to strengthen the future plant, and when frost arrives the shoots are able to resist its influence.

able to resist its influence.

Tur Navasota (Texas) Ranger is now edited by Mrs. Eva Lancaster. The parson, her hasband, said something about the Freedmen's Bureau that those free speech hating people did not like, and they tried to arrest and or wife of the spilleau, with date of marriage, being his paper in his son's hands; but they got after the son, also, who was a marriage, seempalos, isading traits of character, he. This is no sharing that they got after the son, also, who was compelled to give it up, and now Mrs. Lancaster takes up not the pdn only, but the stick too, for she is a first-rate compositor as well as composer.

But they got after the son, also, who was a darked to porreelf, you will reselve the pieture by starrum mail, together with desting fairmants. Address is confidency, Mapara Garrang Rangora, while in a clairvoyant state, deliberation that the said of an issuement of intense to present year of the person you are to marriage, the said of an issuement of intense to present year of the person you are to make the said of an issuement of intense to prove, have as the Psychomotrope, guarantees to prove, known as the Psychomotrope, guarantees to prove, the said of the psychomotrope, guarantees to prove the said of the psycho

GEORGE S. BOUTWELL has written an article

some geese. A number of these warblers timestal from the officers with whom he has served that were kept there, commenced gabbling should sho be forwarded.

Bo allowance is made for the expenses of persons us. ener's attention to the spot. just in time to rescue the child.

INTERNAL REVENUE.—The receipts from his source yesterday were \$983,206.25. Cone for the "break-bone fever"-Bone-

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The barrels to be delivered in such quantities and at unch times, arter four days notice, as may be required.

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sc26-td Bravet Brig. Gen. Vote. PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AR-TICLES AT THE WASHINGTON NAVY YARD.

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SPECIAL POTIONS,

47 The Singing Class connected with familiae Chapes Choir, under the direction of Prof. B.
Messer, will most every WEDRESDAY EVENING erentier, 1745 o'clock; as Williams' School House, E et erect. between Tenth and Sieventh.

A Card.—Washington, Sopt. 7, 1800.— The sudgridend having terminated his connection with the American Talegraph Company, has removed the Agency of the Hallimers and Ohio Rallicoal and its con-nections to the office of the Insulated Lines Telegraph Building, 475 Filmenth afters, apposite south wing of the Trescury Department.

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Collector Office, City Hell, Washington, D. C. August I, 1866.—NOTIGE TO TAXPAYERS.

Notice is hereby given that, by "an act approved July 25, 1866," thereby given that, by "an act approved July 25, 1866," thereby cités ou alleasined personal property, stocks, de., for the year 1866, is fixed at one dollar and len exhit wit every one hundred dollars of the assessed values of said property. Pipos and laxes apon all property not in arrears for taxes for greened purposes an abatement of five per cent in allowed from August 1, 1866, until the last day of October, 1866, after which no abatement will be allowed.

WM. DIXON, and-thetelox. ROBERT C. POX.

AP At a Meeting of the Board of Trustees Ar A maching of the Search of Trustoce (Fablic Schools, beld on Treedy evening, the 18th stant, the following resolution was adopted:

Resulted, That the following places be designated as fines for the insanction of all Fusion Schools stantage of the insanction of all Fusion Schools stantage of the insanctive Schools of Trustoce;

For the Nub-Scard, First district, (First and Second 28th)—Schools room, correct Fourteenth and G streets, and the Schools of the Schools

treets.

For the Sub-Board, Third district, (Fifth and Sixth sard)—Wallach School Building.

For the Sub-Board, Fourth district, (Seventh word)—tab Grammar behad room, Jac. E. Thompson, teacher, o Sixth street.

The Trustees will be to

B. P. BORRBAU, Secretary Milos-Itua

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All official elevalure sent from these rooms are signed by the chairman of the Rational Union Resident Executive Committee and its secretary, and all modeys inheaded for its see should be addressed to GHARLES KRAP, Esq., shairman of the Sational Pinance Committee, or deposited to the credit with famues Powler, they, of Rittenhouse, Fawier & Co. All applications for contributions to the funds of the Committee will be unide by the Pinance Committee, their authorized. for contributions to the funds of the Countities will be made by the Finance Committee, or their authorized scent, who will be duly sceredified. Fone others are authorized to soluti contributions for the one of this Committee. GARKE ES KWAP, Chairman. Juny F. Cover, Secretary.

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Ap-Breech-Leading Arm.—The Board for the Examination of Breech Loading Arm. of which General House and Hancock in precidents, if now in session at Ro. 61 Winder's Building.

Arm. will be received daily, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 2 p. m. until further notice.

Investors are requested to subsuit their arms in person or by agent to the recorder of the board.

W. Owner,

Capt. 6th U. S. Cav., Brev. Lient, Col. U. S. amhv2-tf mNT2-tf Recorder.

A: Notice.—Steckholders' Meeting of the WASHINGTON, ALEXANDRIA, and GEORGETOWN RAILEAGH COMPANY.—On MORDAY, the lat day of October proximo, thore will be a meeting of the Stockholders of the Washington, Alexandria, and Georgicown Hallroad Company held at the office of the Secretary, No. 411 Pesingivania avenue, is Washington City, for the election of five directors for the current year and the transaction of other (upprised business ampreciality to eadle company).

apperfaining to said company,
A full meeting is respectfully requested.
JOSEPH B. STEWART,
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P.O. Box 297, West Troy N. Y.

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Oprios, Washington, D. C., August 19, 1862.—An Army
Medical Buard, to consist of Brave Colonel J. B. Brown,
surgeon, U. S. A., President; Bravet Lieutenant Colonel
B. R. Wiris, surgeon, U. B. A.; Bravet Lieutenant
Colonel Anthorn Bagger, surgeon, U. R. A.; and Bravet
Major Warren Webster, assistant surgeon, U. S. A.,
Resorder; will meet in New York city on the 20th of
September next, for the examination of manifations
or admission into the Medical Staff of the United States

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staff, forty-ris of which are original, the act of Congress approved July 28, 1888.

JOS. K. BARNES,
aul5-tuthustoct5 Surgeon General U. S. A. UNION PAPER COLLAR COMPANY.

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